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SUBJ: AUCTION OF US FLAG VESSEL "CORAL ROCK" BY COLOMBIAN COURT

REF: DEPT'S (L/C) TS OF AUG 14/73; BOGOTA 6470 SEPT 26/72 AND
PREVIOUS

1. EMB RECEIVED NOTE DATED MARCH 14, 1974 FROM FOURTH LABOR
CIRCUIT COURT IN CARTAGENA INFORMING OF AUCTION HELD FEB 14,
1974 OF US FLAG VESSEL "CORAL ROCK". COURT ALSO INFORMS THAT
VESSEL WAS AWARDED TO TWO COLOMBIAN CITIZENS PETER GROSSICH
AND MANUEL ENRIQUE BARRETO; THAT AUCTION WAS APPROVED BY SENTENCE
OF FEB 25, 1974; AND THAT TRANSACTION WAS REGISTERED BY PUBLIC
DEED NR 170 ON MARCH 5, 1974 BY THIRD NOTARY PUBLIC OF CARTAGENA.

2. ACCORDING TO OUR FILE THREE PARTIES ALLEGE OWNERSHIP THIS
VESSEL, TO WIT: OCEAN FISHERIES INC, PO BOX D, MIAMI FL 33155;
WINDJAMMER SEA SCIENCES INC 2650 BISCAYNE BLVD MIAMI FL 33137
AND ONE HOWARD DERBER, BRITISH SUBJECT RESIDENT IN COLOMBIA.

3. EMB UNAWARE WHO ARE THE COLOMBIAN ATTORNEYS PRESENTLY REPRES-
ENTING ABOVE US COMPANIES BUT IS ENDEAVORING LEARN THEIR NAMES.
THERE IS NO EVIDENCE OUR FILE THAT ACTUAL OWNERSHIP WAS EVER
PROVEN IN COURT.

4. DEPT REQUESTED CONTACT ABOVE US FIRMS AND ASCERTAIN OWNERSHIP
AND NAMES AND ADDRESSES THEIR COLOMBIAN ATTORNEYS. SINCE CORAL
ROCK WAS A US DOCUMENTED VESSEL, EMB BELIEVES NOTE TO FONOFF
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SHOULD BE SENT ASKING WHY EMB WAS NOT ADVISED OF PENDING AUCTION.

EMB WILL AWAIT DEPARTMENT'S INSTRUCTIONS.
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